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Interview Summary	Application No. 10/006,785	Applicant(s) MERRITT, TODD A.	
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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
 If Yes, brief description: ____.

Claim(s) discussed: 79-92.

Identification of prior art discussed: ____.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: the supplemental reissued oath/declaration has been discussed. The examiner verified that claims 79-92 has been canceled by the applicant's amendment filed 2/11/08. Also, the suggestion would be not to merge this application and the divisional application 10460813 because one maintenance fee is required for the multiple reissues patents that replace the single original patent, mpep 1415.01 has been discussed.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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